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Applicants: Rusing et al. Paper No:
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Title: NUCLEIC ACID WHICH IS OBTAINED FROM TETRAHYMENA
AND WHICH CODES FOR A DELTA-6-DESATURASE, THE
PRODUCTION THEREOF AND USE

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examining the above-referenced application, kindly enter the amendments and remarks shown below.

AMENDMENTS**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Kindly replace the sequence listing filed with the original application with the following amended sequence listing listed on the attached pages.